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Dear Commissioner:

This reply is in response to the Office Action dated September 7, 2006. Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration.

**AMENDMENT TO THE CLAIMS**

Please amend the claims as indicated on the follow pages.

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